GLOWING HEARTS

HOW CANADIANS DUG IN AND STOOD BY OUR NEIGHBOURS AFTER 9-11 {page 5}

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9-11 10 YEARS LATER

▶ Clockwise from top: An artist's rendering shows what the New York skyline will look like after construction of the One World Trade Center tower and adjacent buildings is complete; a firefighter breaks down after the collapse of the World Trade Center buildings; the twin towers of the World Trade Center on Sept. 11, 2001; a woman evacuates the area around the World Trade Center shortly after it was hit by two passenger jets. More coverage, go to page 5.

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Prevention experts say that removing the cloak of silence around suicide is the best way to prevent it.

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Truck driver slowed down, aimed for cat, says owner

Neighbours saw driver of pickup kill cat Owner looking for tips

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▶ Bonnie Cayen, 54, of London, kneels in her backyard next to the grave of her cat Maggie. The cat died last Saturday after being hit by a truck at Trafalgar Street and Carson Lane. Cayen's neighbours say the driver hit the cat on purpose.

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Bonnie Cayen has hardly slept a wink this week.

"I've just been a mess," Cayen said. "She's my shadow. She followed me everywhere … slept with me."

Cayen, 54, is talking about her three-year-old cat Maggie. Or, as she was affectionately nicknamed, "Boo Boo Kitty."

Maggie died Saturday evening after being hit by a pickup while sitting on a patch of grass at Trafalgar Street and Carson Lane.

"He literally stopped his truck, aimed it at her … and gunned it," Cayen told Metro.

"How can you do that to an innocent little cat?"

Cayen missed the attack, but neighbours saw the large, new-model dark blue or black pickup that took Maggie's life. Witnesses gave chase, but they lost the truck a few blocks away when it hit Hamilton Road traffic.

Kerrie Quantrill saw it happen. She was outside her home, which is a few houses away from the corner.

"I was sickened," she said. "I just don't understand people like that."

Maggie was sort of a mascot for Cayen's Trafalgar Street neighbourhood. She sat on the same corner where she died practically every night, waiting on Cayen to return home from walking her Bassett hound, Harry.

Contact

Anyone with information about the person who ran over Maggie between 7:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday can email Bonnie Cayen at cayenb@rogers.com.

The black long-haired cat had a bit of a special place in everyone's heart, partially because of the way she came into their lives.

Like Cayen's other cats, Maggie was a rescue — saved from the park across the street where it's not uncommon to find abandoned pets. When Maggie first made her way into Cayen's home, she was eight months old, had matted fur and, literally, was starving to death.

"I could feel every bone in her," Cayen said. "She was so starved she hadn't grown."

In the two years since, Maggie's weight had doubled to six pounds and she was on track for a long healthy life.

"If I can find out for sure who did this, I definitely will press charges," Cayen said. "She should still be here."

Head of LTC standing by decision

The head of the London Transit Commission is defending a decision by drivers not to cross picket lines at the University of Western Ontario and Fanshawe College.

It's resulted in frustration among some students at both institutions who say their safety is being compromised by having to cross busy streets in large numbers, while drivers have complained about long backups on streets around both campuses.

"When there is the potential for a significant disruption of service, we reschedule the service. We do not ask our drivers or inspectors to cross any legal picket line. And the reason we do that is so we can maintain our schedules," said Larry Ducharme.

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Car Free fest coming

There's a Car Free Festival Sunday in Wortley Village from noon to 5 p.m. Wortley Road will be closed to traffic from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. between Askin/Craig and Bruce. The event features live music on the street near The Little Red Roaster by Old South musicians, including: the David Priest Jazz Trio, the Canadian Songbook Project and the Mongrels. Other programming includes a moment of silence at 3:30 p.m. to commemorate the 10th anniversary of 9-11. METRO

Rookie tourney to be televised

OK, hockey poolies — want to scout some potential future NHL stars? Check out the NHL rookie tournament on Rogers TV this week.

Taking place at the GM Centre in Oshawa, the Toronto Maple Leafs — including London native Kyle Neuber — will face the Chicago Blackhawks, Pittsburgh Penguins and Ottawa Senators.

The Leafs face the Hawks on Saturday, the Penguins on Sunday and the Senators on Tuesday. All games are at 7 p.m. Rogers TV is on cable 13. METRO

CONTRIBUTED

▶ Chris Boucher

LHSF names director of major gifts

London Health Sciences Foundation announced the appointment of Chris Boucher as director of major gifts. Boucher's returning to the LHSF after almost three years as the associate director of development at the University of British Columbia, faculty of medicine. METRO

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A taste of country life in the city

Western Fair kicks off
Standbys like Little Ray's Reptile Zoo making returns
Tons of new shows in this year's lineup

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▶ Kevin Dungey shows off a python Thursday as the two settle in for the start of Western Fair. Dungey works with Little Ray's Reptile Zoo, a longtime standard at the fair.

Ten days of fun start Friday at the Western Fair District.

With everything from roving robots to racing hogs, organizers have packed this year's schedule full of new attractions and performers. That includes a bit more of an agricultural punch coming in the form of a Down on the Farm exhibit, which aims to give city kids a quick barnyard education.

Down on the Farm features mini-tractor pulls, rubber-duck races combined with lessons on water conservation, and a horse simulator that kids can hop aboard. The Canada Building has been filled with enough straw to keep kids hopping around in it — and their parents picking it out of clothing — for hours.

The exhibit, on the north side of the fairgrounds adjacent to Kiddyland, is designed to whet people's agricultural appetites before they head to the Agricultural Showcase in the Agriplex, said Hugh Fletcher, president of the Western Fair Directors.

"We've always had this problem of a street running through the fairgrounds.… Parents look at the ramp (to the Agriplex) and say, 'I have to push a stroller down that,'" Fletcher said. "Hopefully, having the farm exhibit close to the gates will entice people to go over to the barn."

Other highlights on this year's schedule: More shows covered with basic admission, including this weekend's rodeos and next weekend's demo derby; a Showbot that will be rolling the grounds talking to guests; and a lumberjack show.

Gates open at 11 a.m. Friday to Sunday and 3 p.m. Monday to Thursday.

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▶ Frances Cooper and piglet Ian are primed and ready for Western Fair Thursday. Cooper, who portrays Daisy Mai in the fair's pig races, is a veteran of the event. Ian, who people can check out at the fair's petting zoo, is a newcomer.

Rundown

- Western Fair starts Friday and continues through Sept. 18. Gate admission is $12 for adults, $5 for children five to 10, free for children four and younger and $8 for seniors.
- For more information, visit westernfairdistrict.com.

Samsung solar plant to create 200 local jobs

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Parts for solar-energy facilities could be rolling out of a London factory by the end of next summer.

Samsung announced plans Thursday to open a Forest City plant that will make solar modules and create 200 jobs. Production could start as early as August, officials said. Negotiations about a location are ongoing, they added.

Leaders of the Korean company made the announcement in a chemistry lab at the University of Western Ontario. They were joined by Premier Dalton McGuinty, who made London one of several stops on the second day of his re-election campaign.

The announcement partners with the Liberals' platform of creating jobs through green energy. McGuinty warned that Samsung's plans would be scrapped if the Tories are elected Oct. 6.

Progress Conservative Leader Tim Hudak has vowed to kill the province's $7-billion green-energy deal with the company if his party takes power.

"I want to do for renewable technology what we've done for the auto sector," McGuinty said. That means creating "hundreds of thousands of jobs related to renewable energy in Ontario."

Samsung officials declined to answer questions Thursday about the Tories' stance, saying only that they have a binding agreement with the government and expect it will be honoured. They also ducked questions about how much the London jobs would pay, saying that's something workers and the company will negotiate.

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▶ Premier Dalton McGuinty, flanked by London North Centre MPP Deb Matthews, announces Thursday at the University of Western Ontario that Samsung plans to open a plant that makes solar modules in London next year.

One of four

- The London plant is the fourth Samsung has announced for Ontario. Others are slated for Toronto, Tillsonburg and Windsor, where solar inverters, wind turbines and blades will be made.

Seventeen Canadian airports welcomed stranded air passengers on Sept. 11, 2001 New Yorker John Balistreri has returned twice in the past 10 years to visit friends he made during his unexpected stay

9-11 by the numbers

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3,519 Number of days since September 11, 2001, it took for U.S. forces to kill Osama bin Laden.

$1.283 trillion

Congress has approved this amount for "military operations, base security, reconstruction, foreign aid, embassy costs, and veterans' health care for the three operations initiated since the 9-11 attacks."

10K Number of firefighters, police officers and civilians exposed to the terrorist attack on the World Trade Center that have been found to have post-traumatic stress disorder.

422,000

Estimated number of New Yorkers suffering from post-traumatic-stress disorder as a result of 9/11.

$4.3B Amount passed by Congress for the compensation and treatment of people with 9/11-related illnesses.

83,100

Number of jobs lost in New York City from September 2001 to July 2002, according to a New York City comptroller's report.

$6.7B Estimated cost in 2002 to rebuild the World Trade Center towers, according to a New York City comptroller's report.

1,714

Total number of hate crimes reported to the Council on American-Islamic Relations nationwide since the attack.*

** According to a New York magazine report on the 9-11 attacks*

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Halifax was one of many Canadian cities that opened their hearts and gyms to airline passengers whose flights were rerouted by 9-11. Seen here, stranded passengers start waking up on the morning of Sept. 13, 2001, in Gander, Nfld., in the gymnasium at Gander Academy, an elementary school.

Harbour of welcome

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METRO CANADA IN HALIFAX

"I will be catching up via email with everyone from up north as usual, trying to make sense of the fact that 10 years have already gone by since the time I was stuck there, unwittingly making new friends while trying to figure out if I lost any back home."

NEW YORKER JOHN BALISTRERI, WHO WAS STRANDED FOR FOUR DAYS

There's one flight New Yorker John Balistreri will never forget.

He was on his way home on Singapore Airlines on Sept. 11, 2001, when all commercial air traffic was temporarily suspended.

Eight thousand lost, confused and in-shock airline passengers descended into Halifax and were met with loving, open arms.

"The emotions ranged from genuine shock at what was going on in NYC to genuine appreciation and warmth for the people I met in Lower Sackville while I was 'stuck' in Canada," said Balistreri in an email interview.

He and about 280 other passengers on his flight were taken to Millwood High School in Lower Sackville.

Other stranded passengers were sent to three other Halifax-area high schools or billeted in private homes.

"We had so many people from the area that volunteered that there were times we had to take names and say 'We'll call you,'" said former Millwood principal Phil Legere.

For the locals, it was something they could do to show support and help out during the crisis.

"When it was put in front of you, here's something you can do, I think everybody wanted to be part of it," Legere said.

Students, who had the week off, came in to take small children staying at the temporary shelter out to the park. Volunteers picked up passengers at the school to take them shopping for clothes.

"It wasn't just the generosity of the town, with their hospitality and volunteering. It was their genuine care and friendship for complete strangers that took me by surprise," said Balistreri.

"As a typical jaded New Yorker, to be able to have spent these torturous days right after the attack with such amazing, caring people did wonders for the way I was able to process what was going on while being so far from home."

Events marking the 10th anniversary of Sept. 11

LONDON:
Wortley Village will be having a Car Free Festival on September 11 so the neighbourhood can mark the anniversary of 9-11 with a moment of silence. It will be followed by a performance of The Rescue by Corey Cameron and Dan Brodbeck.

NEW YORK:
President Barack Obama and former President George W. Bush are expected at an observance at the World Trade Center. At night, the art installation Tribute in Light will project beams of light into the sky in memory of those killed.

WASHINGTON:
A tribute concert at the Kennedy Center will feature Wynton Marsalis, Emmylou Harris and Denyce Graves. The event will be streamed live on Facebook. METRO

Reader's comments

Metro asked readers what we have learned from 9-11. Here's what they had to say:

Sandra Nelson
27, WINNIPEG
"It showed us that it's important to stick together ... and to realize that there's no one right answer to solve the world's problems."

Jeff Sage
43, LONDON
"We've learned that as a society we need to be more tolerant, more understanding, more transparent and more inclusive than ever."

Jacqueline Stesco
23, OTTAWA
"To declare your religious beliefs has, I think, more weight since then."

Braydon Berggran
19, DARTMOUTH
"It's one of those things where we have to be cautious over more, but we still can't live in fear."

Three university students now in their 20s recall the 9-11 attacks and their reaction to the day's events. To read the story visit metronews.ca

AMBER ALERT

Police seek missing B.C. boy, 3

▶ Kienan Hebert

The father of missing three-year-old Kienan Hebert is holding out hope that his son will soon be back at home in Sparwood, B.C., safe and sound.

The boy, who is the subject of an Amber Alert, was last seen when his family put him to bed Tuesday evening at his home in the southeastern B.C. community, about 260 kilometres southwest of Calgary. He was reported missing at about 9 a.m. Wednesday morning.

▶ Randall Hopley

He's described by police as a red-haired Caucasian boy who was last seen wearing a blue pair of Scooby Doo boxer shorts.

Police are also looking for Randall Hopley, 46, who is of no relation to Hebert, and a brown 1987 Toyota Camry with the licence plate 098RAL. Police warn the public not to approach the vehicle. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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▶ A supporter of Russian professional hockey team Lokomotiv Yaroslavl grieves outside the ice hockey arena in Yaroslavl, Russia, yesterday. All but one of the 28 team members travelling to Belarus were killed when their Yak-42 jet crashed on Wednesday.

Medvedev promises change following latest air crash

Experts blame aging air fleet, cost-cutting mentality, poor training

President Dmitry Medvedev called for immediate changes in Russia's troubled aviation industry yesterday — including sharply reducing the number of airlines — as the country mourned a crash that killed 43 people and devastated a top ice hockey team.

The crash Wednesday killed 36 players, coaches and staff of the Lokomotiv Yaroslavl team, including European national team and former NHL players.

Among the dead were the team's Canadian coach, National Hockey League veteran Brad McCrimmon; assistant coach Alexander Karpovtsev, one of the first Russians to have his name etched on the Stanley Cup as a member of the New York Rangers; and Pavol Demitra, who played for the St. Louis Blues and the Vancouver Canucks and was the Slovakian national team captain.

The crash drew new attention to the poor air safety records of Russia and other former Soviet republics.

Experts blame Russia's problems in the air on an aging fleet, weak government controls, poor pilot training and a cost-cutting mentality.

> **"The number of air companies should be radically reduced."**
> RUSSIAN PRESIDENT DMITRY MEDVEDEV

Investigators could not immediately pinpoint what caused the Yak-42 jet to crash into the banks of the Volga River shortly after takeoff from Yaroslavl, 240 kilometres northeast of Moscow. Workers laboured yesterday to raise the plane's shattered tail section, site of one of the plane's on-board recorders.

The two crash survivors — player Alexander Galimov and crew member Alexander Sizov — were both reported in grave condition yesterday after being flown to Moscow for treatment.

The plane crashed on the opening day of an international forum that was to showcase Yaroslavl as a modern and vibrant Russian city. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Google takes a bite out of Zagat reviews

- Terms of purchase not disclosed
- Google aiming for localized ads

Google has bought the restaurant-review service Zagat as it tries to help people connect with local businesses.

The founders, Nina and Tim Zagat, said they will remain a part of the 32-year-old company and will use Google's resources and expertise to expand. Zagat currently offers reviews and ratings on restaurants in more than 100 cities around the world, based largely on diner surveys.

Google plans to integrate Zagat with its search and mapping products.

In a blog post yesterday announcing the purchase, Google said Zagat "will be a cornerstone of our local offering."

Google is trying to improve local offerings as a way to sell more ads to local merchants.

Google's stock rose $2.69, or 0.5 per cent, to $536.72 in trading yesterday. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Market moment

TSX	Dollar	Oil	Natural gas	Gold
- 36.61 (12,683.96)	- 0.26¢ (101.21¢ US)	- $0.29 US ($89.05 US)	$3.980 (+4¢)	$1,857.50 (+ $39.90)

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Border. Costs

▶ Finance Minister Jim Flaherty listens to Prime Minister Stephen Harper in Ottawa yesterday. Flaherty has called for the Senate finance committee to investigate the price of tariffs on imports.

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Import tariffs blamed

Finance Minister Jim Flaherty concedes that policies regarding tariffs on imports may explain why goods cost less in the U.S. than in Canada. One survey puts the gap as high as 20 per cent on average, impacting everything from sporting goods to clothing.

Rogers not vying for Olympic airtime

Rogers Communications won't be bidding for the Canadian broadcast rights to the 2014 Winter and 2016 Summer Olympic Games alongside CTV, its partner in previous coverage of two of the most-watched sporting series.

Keith Pelley, president of Rogers' media division, said yesterday that the company has decided to focus its budget and airtime instead on the Blue Jays season and Rogers Cup tennis tournament, opting out of the 2014 Winter Olympic Games in Russia and 2016 Summer Games in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Broadcasters "want to maximize the exposure ... and want to put the (Summer) Games in prime time, and that falls dead into the middle of the Blue Jay season and the middle of Rogers Cup tennis," Pelley said.

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TIFF, TUFF AND EVERYTHING IN BETWEEN

THE METRO LIST

MIKE BENHAIM
METRO

During these hard times, I like to immerse myself in fiction and the mockery of other people's dysfunction. Hence some points of distraction for the weeks ahead:

1 **TV a la carte:** The quintessential viewer's lament is that we have all this variety, yet there never seems to be anything on.

Well, rumour has it that you will soon be able to pick and choose your stations without subscribing to the full cable package. Just imagine all those single men with 50 channels of sports and porn.

2 **Ice, ice, baby:** It's almost hockey season again in Canada, and no one is more excited than the city of Winnipeg. The new and improved Jets unveiled their new uniforms this week. Now let's see if they can actually play.

3 **Dancing with the boys:** Sonny and Cher's child, Chastity, underwent a female-to-male sex-change operation a year ago. Now, Chaz's inclusion on Dancing With the Stars has sparked controversy among religious groups who claim he's an "abomination."

Shame on them for judging a man just for being born with a vagina. We will accept Chaz like anyone else and simply focus on the fact that he is overweight and unattractive.

4 **Two and a Half Men:** The new season will begin with the funeral of Charlie Sheen's character while the real Charlie lives on. The cruel irony is too much for me to bear.

5 **X Factor:** The most anticipated new show is unoriginal, but apparently American audiences crave more disdainful commentary from curmudgeon-extraordinaire Simon Cowell and more inane bickering with Paula Abdul. Contestants will be ridiculed at every turn. Just the kind of thing our highly evolved TV audiences enjoy.

6 **Fall "Mad"ness:** Capitalizing on the success of Mad Men, two new series' emerge this season. Pan Am and The Playboy Club are both set in the '60s, feature hot ladies in pantyhose and men in suits with shiny hair. So much nostalgia for an era when sexually repressed people drank and smoked unabashedly around toddlers, then packed them into the car for a swirvy, fun-filled ride to their asbestos-insulated, lead-filled homes. Ah, those were the days.

7 **TIFF:** It's TIFF time again, and Toronto will host the world's hottest stars. While the festival is always a great draw, the true beauty of the experience is the gamble, so don't get caught up in Hollywood hype.

Take a chance on the unknowns, because it's cooler and more exclusive to say, "I just watched a three-hour movie in Swahili, and have no idea what I saw."

8 **TUFF enuff:** The fifth annual Toronto Urban Film Festival is a delightful bonus for commuters. This week, subway screens throughout the city are displaying a variety of submissions. The silent, one-minute films can be a welcome distraction from the fact that you may be among strangers who have chosen not to bathe. You have to be in T.O. to enjoy that experience, but if you can't make it, visit torontourbanfilmfestival.com

More from Mike Benhaim at metronews.ca/backbeat

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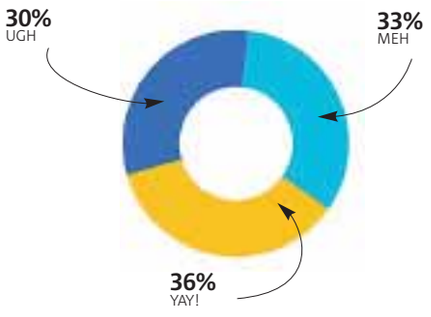
NFL football begins!



Local tweets

- **@eh_c:** Public sector union on strike at #UWO today. #LTC union refuses to cross picket lines to enter campus. A lose-lose for the public. #LdnOnt
- **@jeffsage:** #ldnont gets better every year thanks in part to engaged citizens. #ibelieve
- **@sarahsimpkin:** First week back in library school is turning into a crash course in labour relations. #uwo #ldnont
- **@stephenyu_:** Question of the day: "Where's 2050" Oh life of first year students. #uwo
- **@averysimplegirl:** I am enjoying the BEST Monaco Crepe from Petit Paris at The Market. Another thing to love in #ldnont
- **@aansel:** Professor let us out after 15 mins! #uwo
- **@kirstenmouland:** I now have to cross two, picket lines to get to class. #uwo #fanshawe
- **@kristinetnguyen:** 5 minutes in and this Calc class is already funny. #uwo
- **@Overlaid:** Bus operators do not need to defend their decision to not cross picket lines in #ldnont

Letters

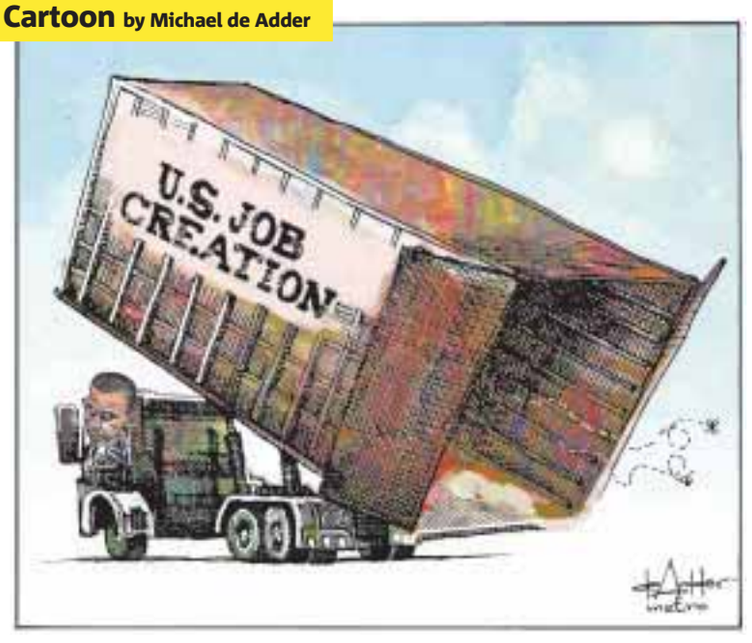
RE: Editorial cartoon published Sept. 8

In light of the deaths this summer of three hockey players and the crash of the plane in Russia on Thursday, I found it sickening that your newspaper would publish this cartoon. It is disgusting and insensitive and should never have seen the light of day. I can only hope that it was meant to promote concussion awareness, but, come on, take another look. Too bad, I really enjoyed this paper up till now.
JOHN COLLINGS, LONDON

I am a regular reader, and I'm not usually one to complain about anything, but I just had to write in and say that I found the comic on September 8th to be in extremely bad taste.

Your cover story is about 43 people being killed in a plane crash, many of them professional hockey players with families, and then think it is appropriate to run a comic poking fun at dead hockey players? This would be bad form at any time, but in light of what JUST happened I find it absolutely disgusting.
BEN SAVAGE, SURREY, B.C.

Cartoon by Michael de Adder



WEIRD NEWS

Somebody had too many fermented apples, again

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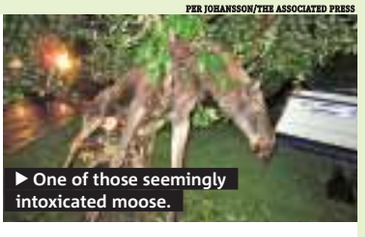

▶ One of those seemingly intoxicated moose.

A seemingly intoxicated moose has been discovered entangled in an apple tree by a stunned Swede.

Per Johansson says he heard a roar from his vacationing neighbour's garden in southwestern Sweden late Tuesday and went to have a look. There, he found a female moose kicking about in the tree. The animal was likely drunk from eating fermented apples.

With the help of police and rescue services, the 45-year-old Johansson later managed to set the moose free in part by sawing off tree branches.

But the animal appeared confused and wandered into Johansson's garden, where she was still resting Thursday.

Johansson said the moose appeared to be sick, drunk or "half-stupid." **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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Synopsis

- The story begins with patient zero, Beth Emhoff (Gwyneth Paltrow), an executive who carries a disease from Hong Kong to Minneapolis. Twenty-four hours later she is dead and a modern day plague has begun. Add in a meddlesome blogger (Jude Law), medical emergency personnel (Marion Cotillard, Laurence Fishburne and Kate Winslet) and widespread panic and you have SARS, Soderbergh style.
- **Ratings:**
  Richard: ●●½
  Mark: ●●●½

▶ Jude Law, center, is just one of the big names in the star-studded cast of Contagion.

Reel Guys

RICHARD CROUSE & MARK BRESLIN
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The cold and clinical

Contagion — a story about a modern-day plague — arrives just in time for flu season ◗ Crouse and Breslin concur; it's an entertaining medical procedural

Richard: Mark, Contagion is The Towering Inferno with germs, an all-star disaster movie in the mode of Irwin Allen's 1970s spectacles. It's a generally more serious affair than the Allen cheesefest but they both beat with the same pulpy heart. Each movie takes itself a bit too seriously — although the scene that gives new meaning to the phrase, "picking Gwyneth Paltrow's brain," seems geared for gruesome laughs — and has too many characters and tries, with varying levels of success, to pluck at your heartstrings.

MB: Well, Paltrow has always had a cerebral approach to acting, and this movie proves it. And the "cerebral" approach extends to the rest of the movie. Unlike you, Richard, I found it a bit aloof and clinical, which fit the topic. After all the science fiction movies about bad viruses, this one is closer to actual science. And the movie arrives just in time for flu season. I had to suppress a cough at the theatre, lest I get roughed up.

RC: I get what you mean by the aloof and clinical remark to a point. The Lawrence Fishburne story is an effective medical procedural. It's a bit clinical at times, like an episode of CSI set entirely inside the lab, but large parts of the story seemed unnecessary. A plot line featuring Marion Cotillard in China, for instance, could easily have been removed with no noticeable (except for the absence of the lovely Ms. Cotillard) effect and the blogger story feels forced.

MB: Usually movies of this type focus on one family and we see the crisis (zombies, war, Contagion) through their eyes. Soderbergh is working differently here, as if conducting a survey of how this pandemic might affect different types of people in various social groups. Only the Matt Damon thread seemed to have any real emotion; but even his story is underplayed. As far as the Jude Law blogger, I wouldn't want to have missed his homemade Hazmat suit, which made him look like the cyborg he played in A.I. But it was fun to watch so many major actors in the small roles, especially Elliott Gould; and Demitri Martin, who barely had one line!

RC: I did enjoy the movie; I just thought it was a bit sloppy for a Soderbergh film. Having said that, however, it should do for touching your face what Jaws did for ocean side vacations.

MB: Ha! And not many people will crave Chinese food after the film. But I liked the movie, too, even if it sometimes felt like a grad thesis in epidemiology.

2 scene

Scene in brief

Actress Reese Witherspoon was struck by a car while jogging near Los Angeles on Wednesday morning and suffered minor injuries. Santa Monica police Sgt. Richard Lewis says the Oscar-winning actress was hit by a car driven by an 84-year-old woman.
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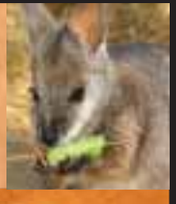

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Creature
Genre: Horror
Director: Fred M. Andrews
Stars: Mehcad Brooks, Serinda Swan
●●●½
In an age where irony, self referencing and cruelty dominate the horror film, Creature is a refreshing throwback. A gothic, old-fashioned yet gory bit of trashy monster mayhem, the pic stars genre standby Sid Haig as a bayou-dwelling creep with a weird connection to a swamp demon called Lockjaw, a beastie that takes great pleasure in devouring the young, dumb kids who cross his toothy path. Part Creature From the Black Lagoon and part Friday the 13th, the fact this fun little flick is getting a wide theatrical release at all is cause for celebration.
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Warrior
Genre: Action
Director: Gavin O'Connor
Stars: Joel Edgerton, Tom Hardy
●●●½
Being billed as this year's The Fighter, the mixed martial-arts drama Warrior pits two estranged brothers against each other as they each surge through the ranks of a multi-million dollar fighting championship.

Though that sounds like an attempt at selling cinematic brutality to jacked-up MMA fans, director Gavin O'Connor (Miracle) spins an emotionally-intense story that delves into family dysfunction and forgiveness despite its predictable arc and bloated running time.
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The crying game

Movie fans, pull out your hankies. Here are five films that are guaranteed to open the floodgates — every time

E.T. (1982)

You've seen it a million times and you know what's going to happen. E.T. is going to live, and the little guy is going to phone home, and his spaceship is going to swoop down to pick him up. Doesn't matter. Those blue eyes of his, and the friendship between E.T. and Elliott never fail to draw out the tears.

Nights of Cabiria (1957)

That famous last shot gets you every time. Fellini's wife, Giulietta Masina, is irresistible as Cabiria, the proverbial hooker with a heart of gold. She finally thinks she's found "the one," only to find he's not. Heartbroken, she smiles through tears as if to let us know she'll be all right.

Lassie Come Home (1943)

Lassie Come Home is heartbreaking no matter who you are. Featuring a young Roddy McDowell and Elizabeth Taylor, it tells the story of a destitute family forced to sell its beloved dog. But Lassie breaks free from her new owners and treks hundreds of miles through various dangers to return home.

My Dog Skip (2000)

Any film with a dog is guaranteed to tug heart strings. My Dog Skip also has that irresistible boy-and-his dog dynamic, which exponentially ups the cute factor. A young Frankie Muniz stars as a shy kid named Willie whose only real friend, a scruffy and lovable Jack Russell terrier, helps him open up to the world.

Up (2009)

The whole film is lovely, of course. But it's that one poignant montage that makes the tears come in torrents. It reveals the decades-long relationship between curmudgeonly, 78-year-old Carl Fredricksen and the love of his life, his late wife, Ellie, who brought out the fun he never knew he had inside of him. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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▶ From the Sky Down is showing at this year's Toronto International Film Festival.

Is a documentary to start the 36th annual Toronto International Film Festival? And a rock doc? Makes sense, really, given that the festival and the band involved pretty much share the exact same birthdate. As the first-ever TIFF was kicking off in September 1976, the band that would become U2 were having their first rehearsals at the drummer's house.

This got me thinking about putting together a list of the best rock docs of all time. Here's a few I came up with.

The Last Waltz (1978):

Martin Scorsese's fascination with rock docs began here. The Band's final concert at the Winterland Theatre in San Francisco set the bar high for years afterward.

The Kids Are Alright (1979):

I was such a Who fan that when this came out, I sat through three straight showings in the theatre.

Rock & Roll: An Unruly History (1995):

A PBS mini-series based on the writings of academic Robert Palmer.

Joe Strummer: The Future is Unwritten (2007):

A brilliant look back at the life of the Clash frontman, warts and all.

And I know that the band wasn't real (at least when they shot the mock-doc in 1984), but every music fan needs to watch This Is Spinal Tap.

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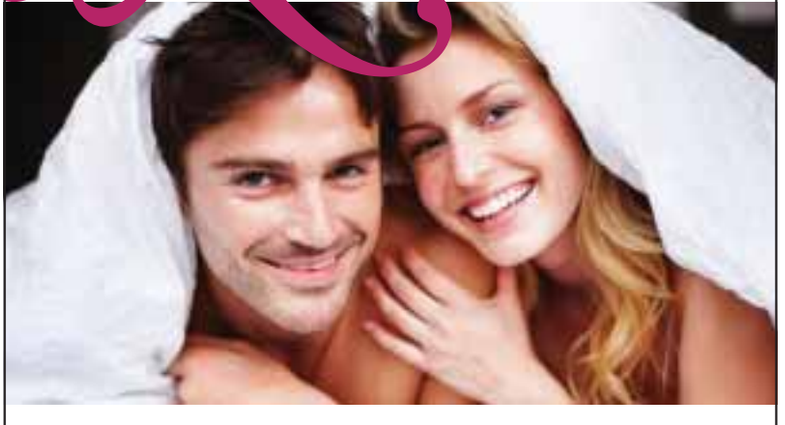

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Jonas striking out on his own

Former teen idol changes up his sound and returns with a more modern album Will he still draw crowds?

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It's tough out there for teen idols.

Two years ago, toppling the Jonas Brothers from the top of the teen pop heap seemed unfathomable. Now they seem like a distant memory when compared to the superstar status of Justin Bieber and Lady Gaga.

Now 22-year-old Joe Jonas is striking out on his own and hitting back these young upstarts with their own game. Abandoning the pop-rock sound that garnered his band Rolling Stone covers and legions of teenaged fans, Joe's debut, Fast Life, which drops next month, leans heavy on dance floor beats and R&B tropes.

"It's the kind of music that I've always loved," he told journalists during a recent conference call to promote the record and his upcoming club tour that brings him to Toronto Saturday night. "I've always really been into dance music and electro music, hip hop music. I've always been really intrigued to kind of go on my own path to create something different."

Whatever the results, its clear that Joe is ready for whatever comes his way. "You just got to have confidence going into it. And I'm feeling pretty excited and pumped to be able to hit the road."

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▶ Joe Jonas is striking out on his own with a new sound.

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Hudson a 'brat': Dad

Father has nasty words for actress Kate Hudson in his new book

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▶ Kate Hudson

Bill Hudson, Goldie Hawn's ex-husband and Kate Hudson's estranged father, has some stories to tell in his new book, 2 Versions: The Other Side of Fame and Family — and chances are Kate won't be too thrilled about them.

"She has done stuff which is just awful," Bill writes, according to Radar Online. "She is a spoiled brat in my eyes." His biggest gripe? That Kate hasn't been in touch with her grandmother, who is battling Alzheimer's.

"Kate doesn't have to talk to me and she doesn't have to give her a dime of her millions. All I want is for her to call and say, 'Hi grandma,' before it's too late," he writes. METRO

Jessica Simpson loves her twins

Jessica Simpson heard the reports that she's planning to get a breast reduction in advance of her upcoming wedding, and she's not too happy about them.

The voluptuous singer took to Twitter to clear things up.

"Been getting lots of questions about this alleged breast reduction," Simpson wrote.

"Not to worry. I love my boobies! They aren't going anywhere!" METRO

Jessica Simpson

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▶ Lady Gaga dressed as "Jo Calderone."

Gaga has no problem being alone

She may be a successful touring pop star with at least two vibrant onstage personalities, but Lady Gaga admits she spends most of her time by herself — not that that's a problem.

"When you're alone as much as I am, you become accustomed to your solitude and embrace it," she tells Harpers Bazaar.

"I work about 16 to 20 hours a day. And when I'm alone, I write, I imagine, I create things, and I decide how I want to do my future performances. I don't take much time off." METRO

Would Paltrow cheat on hubby?

Gwyneth Paltrow isn't judging her friends that step out on their spouses — but she's not keeping quiet about it, either.

"Life is complicated and long, and I know people that I respect and admire and look up to who have had extra-marital affairs," Paltrow said. "We're flawed. We're human beings, and sometimes you make choices that other people are going to judge ... I think that the more I love my life, the more I learn not to judge." METRO

Celebrity tweets

@kathygriffin

Hey LA, where's the gas station parking lot that has the food trucks? Is it open right now?

@HankAzaria

Actually have a break on the set of the new NBC show I'm shooting. Which I choose to fill by tweeting, apparently.

@SarahKSilverman

I guess the quality I'm looking for most in a man is someone who won't murder me.

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I should be working on lines!! Not tweeting! aaaaaarrrgg!!

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An Indian affair

Dishes from India are all about spice As the seasons change, bring back the heat with this easy-to-make Grilled Tandoori Chicken

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The Tandoori Chicken serves four.

Last-minute guests? No need to fret.

These skewers taste amazing and require minimal work. Tandoori paste is available at most grocery stores, but in a pinch an Indian paste can be used.

The skewers are excellent served with basmati rice as well.

This recipe offers a contemporary take on Indian cooking by employing unlikely ingredients.

Grilled Tandoori Chicken

Preparation:

1 In bowl, whisk yogurt with tandoori paste and 15 ml (1 tbsp) lemon juice. Cut chicken into bite-size chunks; add to yogurt mix and stir. Refrigerate, stirring occasionally, for 30 mins or covered overnight.

2 Cut each peach into 4 wedges. In bowl, toss peaches, 5 ml (1 tsp) lemon juice, oil and 30 ml (2 tbsp) coriander.

Ingredients:

Grilled Tandoori Chicken

- 50 ml (1/4 cup) plain yogurt
- 20 ml (4 tsp) bottled tandoori paste
- 1 lemon
- 500 g (1 lb) boneless, skinless chicken breasts
- 3 firm but ripe peaches
- 5 ml (1 tsp) olive oil
- 45 ml (3 tbsp) finely chopped fresh coriander
- Salt, to taste
- 4 small naan bread
- Raita

3 Thread chicken onto 4 skewers; thread peaches onto 4 skewers. Sprinkle all with salt. Place chicken on greased grill over medium heat; grill, turning for 7 mins. Add peach skewers; grill until juices run clear when chicken is pierced and peaches are warm, 3 mins. During last min of cooking, grill naan.

4 To serve, top each naan with 1 peach skewer, 1 chicken skewer and dollop of raita. Sprinkle with remaining coriander. **THE CANADIAN PRESS/ FOODLAND ONTARIO**

Historical day remembered

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I'm always amazed at how wine works its way into my life's most memorable moments. Sometimes, it's just part of the fun. Other times, it has a supporting role in the events.

Ten years ago this Sunday, I was at work. It was a Tuesday. I was having an average day. Mine just happened to involve tasting about 50 wines. A co-worker interrupted me to say a plane had crashed into the World Trade Center in New York. We turned on the TV in time to watch the second plane hit.

Of all the things I remember about that day, the fact that I was tasting Italian wine has never left me and I've uncorked a bottle from Italy to commemorate 9-11 every since.

This year, it will be the Rocca delle Macìe 2007 Famiglia Zingarelli Chianti Classico ($18.95 - $21.98): A classically designed Tuscan red with a rich, full-bodied expression of cherry fruit and oak that's a fine partner for reflection. **PRICES REFLECT THE RANGE ACROSS CANADA. SOME PRODUCTS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE IN ALL PROVINCES.**

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Going global

Canada's ethnic diversity is celebrated in a new cookbook.

The International Collection: Home-Cooked Meals From Around the World by Canadian Living magazine's test kitchen staff (Transcontinental Books, $27.95) is a delicious culinary journey.

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Old-style apples from yore making a comeback in many U.S. orchards.

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NFL. Taking the field

▶ The Green Bay Packers run onto the field before taking on the New Orleans Saints in the season-opening game at Lambeau Field on Thursday.

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KHL team will be rebuilt

Russian league boss says team that lost 27 players in crash will play this season
Other teams will supply players to Lokomotiv Yaroslavl, may pay their salaries

The Russian hockey team whose players were killed in a plane crash will be rebuilt in time to take part in this year's Kontinental Hockey League season, according to the league's leader.

All but one of the 28 Lokomotiv Yaroslavl players travelling to Belarus for their first game of the season were killed when their Yak-42 jet crashed on Wednesday.

KHL chief Alexander Medvedev said Thursday that each team in the league should volunteer up to three players each toward building a new Lokomotiv squad. He says it will free up between 40 and 45 players for Lokomotiv to pick.

"The 18 KHL clubs whose representatives I have managed to speak with have supported this proposal," Medvedev said in remarks to Atlant Mytischi hockey club's press service.

Medvedev said up to 35 players have already put their names forward to join Lokomotiv, but he didn't specify any names.

He said one idea was for players' salaries to be underwritten by the teams from which they had been transferred to Lokomotiv for the duration of one season.

"This is still an unofficial decision, but it has been supported by everybody, and many are putting this idea forward themselves," Medvedev said.

Along with recruiting from other clubs, Medvedev said Lokomotiv will promote five players from its youth team.

The KHL is an international club league that features 24 teams from Russia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Latvia and Slovakia.

Lokomotiv is a leading force in Russian hockey, winning the Russian League championship in 1997, 2002 and 2003. The team finished third in the KHL last season.

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Survivor

Russian player Alexander Galimov survived the crash along with a crew member.

▶ Galimov was transferred Thursday to the Vishnevsky Institute in Moscow. Andrei Alexeyev, a doctor in the institute's burns department, said Galimov has gained consciousness and was able to speak to his father.

Quoted

"For two years, I was kind of taken out of football a little bit. Now, I'm back in it and am truly enjoying the game again and I truly enjoy coming into practice or coming into work every day."

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Roddick, Nadal, Murray move on

Even in Thursday's perfect weather, Andy Roddick ran into trouble completing a rain-delayed victory at the U.S. Open — this time, because of water seeping through a crack behind a baseline in the tournament's second-largest stadium.

At least he finally got to finish a 6-3, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3 win over fifth-seeded David Ferrer, which Roddick celebrated by high-fiving spectators at cramped Court 13. Two days of wet weather gave way to sunshine, and defending champion Rafael Nadal and 2008 runner-up Andy Murray managed to work their way into the quarter-finals, too, by wrapping up straight-set victories.

Because of rain earlier in the week, the tournament decided to push the men's final to Monday at 4 p.m.

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PEYTON MANNING

Gone for season?

Peyton Manning underwent more neck surgery Thursday, the third time in 19 months, and will miss not only the opening game but possibly the entire season.

Losing Manning for any stretch of time is a huge blow to the Colts and throws the race for the AFC South wide open. The four-time NFL MVP hasn't missed a game in 14 NFL seasons, with 227 consecutive starts, including the post-season.

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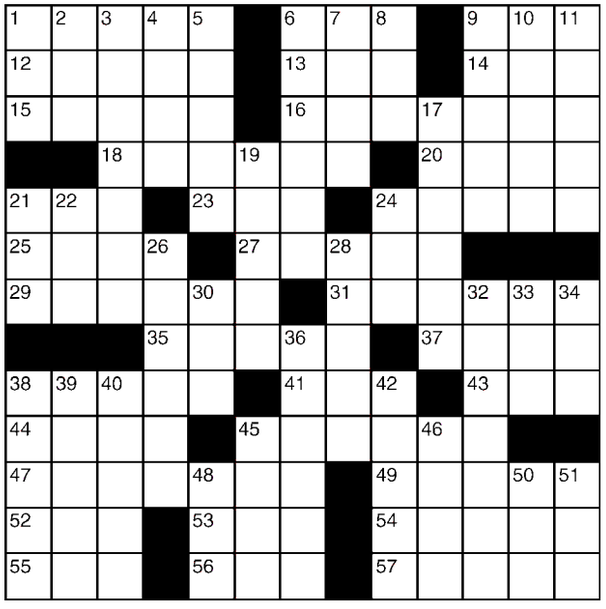

Across

1 Superheroes' garments
6 "Wham!"
9 Noun following a prep.
12 Tequila source
13 — pro nobis
14 Macabre author
15 Riddle
16 Wine experts
18 Family-related, in a way
20 Raw rocks
21 That girl
23 Corpulent
24 Don't blink
25 Mine, partially
27 Winter warmer
29 "Raging Bull" star
31 Claim
35 Comes to earth
37 Take to the seas
38 Bread
41 Symbol of intrigue
43 Crafty
44 "— for All Seasons"
45 Most contemptible
47 Skill
49 Winning
52 "Eureka!"
53 Scooted
54 Trunk
55 Mineo of movies
56 Get on
57 Feel

Down

1 Upper limit
2 Back
3 Part of a horse's leg
4 Always
5 Letter line
6 Spud
7 Exam format
8 Existed
9 "Tosca," for one
10 Hole-making bug
11 Ventura or Eisenberg
17 Comes to
19 Breakfast strips
21 Turf
22 Color
24 Scale member
26 Mum
28 Docket entries
30 Shaft of light
32 Oriental
33 Hodges of baseball
34 TV Tarzan player
36 Wrestler-turned-actor Johnson
38 Half a 1960s quartet
39 Nebraska city
40 Twangy
42 Triumphs over
45 Boast
46 Loafer, for one
48 Historic time
50 Nincompoop
51 Buck's mate

▶ Yesterday's answer

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Sudoku

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	6	5	1		7		3	

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Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

Yesterday's answer ▶

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7	3	6	2	4	5	9	8	1
2	5	8	1	9	7	3	6	4
9	1	4	3	8	6	5	7	2
3	9	1	4	7	2	8	5	6
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Today's horoscope

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♈ Aries March 21-April 20 If you sit back and wait for good things to come your way, they will. Enjoy your good fortune. You deserve it.

♉ Taurus April 21-May 21 A friend will ask you for relationship advice. Make it clear your advice doesn't come with a guarantee.

♊ Gemini May 22-June 21 Honesty is essential if you are to resolve an issue that has been dragging on for weeks.

♋ Cancer June 22-July 22 Something will happen today that shakes your faith in your five senses. You have a sixth one, too.

♌ Leo July 23-Aug.23 The Sun in Virgo will help you cash in on your insights and ingenuity today.

♍ Virgo Aug. 24- Sept. 22 Mercury moves back into your birth sign today, helping you to make sense of things that too often seem random or meaningless.

♎ Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23 Don't take it personally if a friend is critical today. He or she is most likely more annoyed with him or herself.

♏ Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22 You are desperate to do something more exciting, something that rises above the mundane.

♐ Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21 Be more adventurous today and don't worry too much if you tread on toes — that's what toes are for.

♑ Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20 What happens over the weekend will challenge you to up your game. You're a mover and shaker.

♒ Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18 You will have to leave something behind over the next few days. It will soon be replaced, no worries.

♓ Pisces Feb. 19-March 20. You will be on the go from dawn to dusk today. This evening, you'll really speed up. **SALLY BROMPTON**

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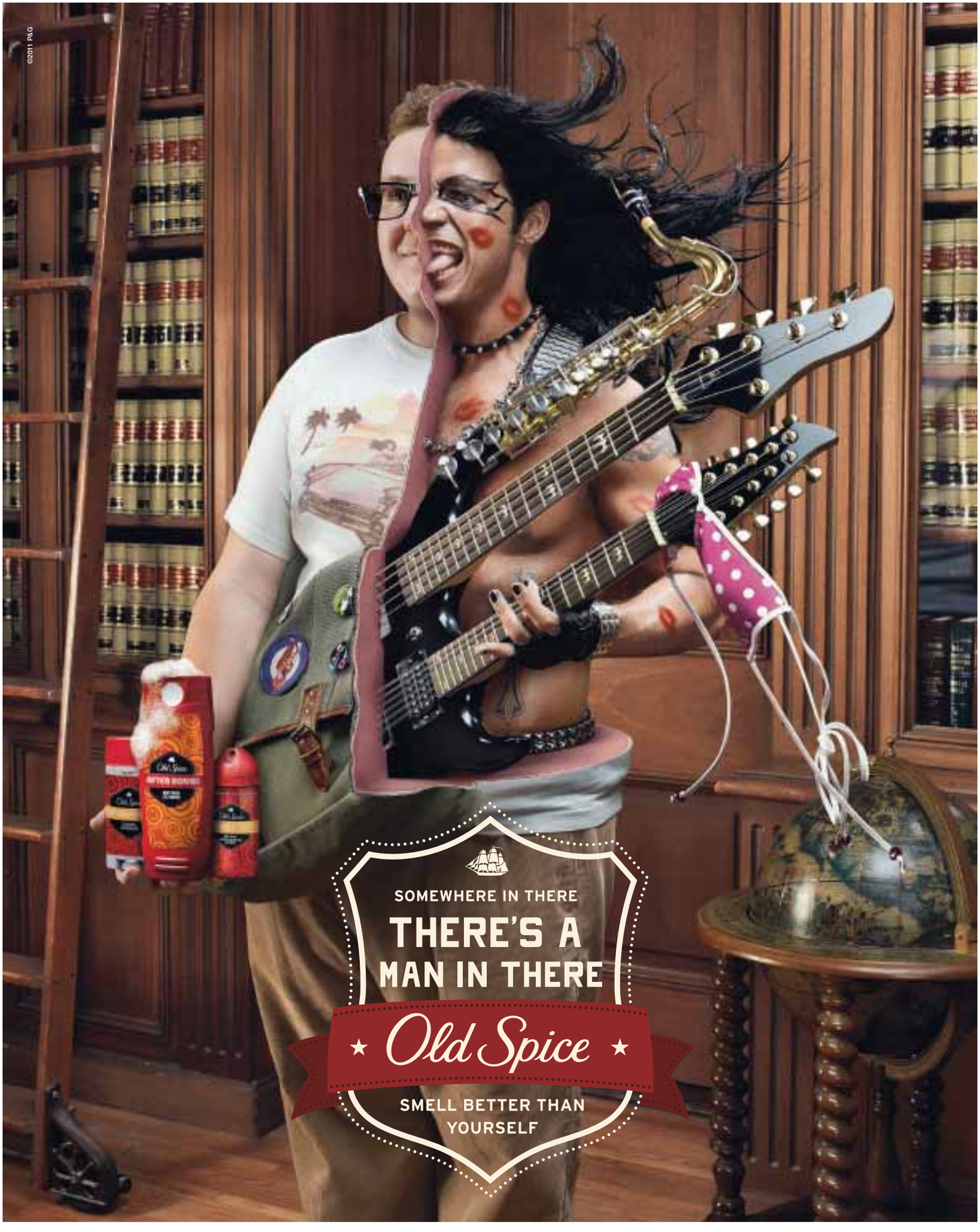
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